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POOR JOHNSTOWN.

With the Subsiding of the Waters Come Reports of Contagious Diseases Being Prevalent.

Sanitary and Health Officials Deny the Rumors, but the Hospitals Tell the Story.

Secret Societies in the Deluged District Escape with the Loss of Few Members—A Thieving Undertaker.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—Sorrowful as it may seem, disease has infected the district, notwithstanding the denials of the sanitary and health officials. Dr. Hess, of the Red Cross Society, to-night stated that contagion was more prevalent than the authorities acknowledged them to be. "In our hospital at Grubtown," he said, "we have numerous cases of sickness resulting from the frightful flood. There are now under our care about forty cases of sickness. The diseases from which the patients are suffering, are of diphtheria, two; of nervous prostration, twenty-five; of pneumonia, two; one of a broken limb and another driven insane by the loss of his family."

The sitters of the Red Cross are also taking care of eight cases of ulcerated tonsils, which, though not dangerous now, a change for the worse may occur. The number of bodies taken from the ruins today was thirty-one, of which nine were identified.

The number of persons who have so far registered is 20,110. The registration is in a good way and it is believed within five days all the living in Johnstown and vicinity will be accounted for. It is claimed those who have not registered left this section before the registration began. Already some 13,000 passes have been issued to persons wishing to leave. In some cases passes were issued to the same people twice, owing to the fact that some returned. It is safe to say that 6,000 have left this section.

The members of the secret societies in the Conemaugh valley fared unusually well. The Junior O. U. A. M. had a membership of 1,300; out of this only nine were lost. Most of them lost their homes, but all have employment and expect to be on their feet again in a short time. A yet known how many members of the Masonic order are lost, although prominent members say they were few and the survivors are being provided with the relief committee of that fraternity.

A trap was laid for a crooked undertaker who was robbing the dead in the fourth mortuary. A female was brought, and before it was dressed for burial a diamond ring was placed on one of her fingers. The undertaker was assigned to take charge of the body, and he was detected in the act of stealing the jewelry and promptly arrested by the police, who immediately took him to Ebsenburg.

The Queen's Sympathy.
WASHINGTON, June 8.—Sir Julian Paucot, British minister, called on the president this morning and delivered a message from Queen Victoria expressing her deep sympathy for the sufferers by the floods in Pennsylvania. The president made a suitable acknowledgement in behalf of the United States.

Leonard Swett Dead.
CHICAGO, June 8.—Leonard Swett, the well known attorney and one of the old residents of Chicago, died this afternoon. He was at one time the law partner of Abraham Lincoln, and made a speech nominating the martyr president in 1860. He performed the same service for Judge Graham in 1888.

Mr. Swett was a native of Maine, read law in Portland, enlisted as a private in the Mexican war, and in 1848 settled at Bloomington, Ill. While there he formed the acquaintance of Abraham Lincoln and Judge David Davis, enjoying the confidence of both those distinguished men. He was an active politician, but held no office except that of member of the legislature for one term. As a lawyer Mr. Swett stood very high, and was successful in a larger proportion of cases than usually falls to the lot of most attorneys. It was a matter of considerable pride with him that he bore a strong personal resemblance to President Lincoln, and he was highly gratified at being chosen to deliver the oration at the unveiling of the Lincoln statue in Chicago on October 22, 1887.

The Case of Armes.
WASHINGTON, June 8.—In the case of Capt. George A. Armes, U. S. A., retired, sentenced by a court-martial to be dismissed from the service, the president has commuted the sentence, in consideration of good service and some mitigating circumstances connected with the offense of which he was found guilty, to confinement within such limits as the secretary of war may prescribe, and the deprivation of the right to wear uniform and the insignia of his rank for five years.

The findings of the court show it acquitted Capt. Armes of the first specification, which charged false prosecution of Capt. Bourke, of the Third Cavalry, but found him guilty of the remaining charges, preferring malicious charges against Col. Gibson and Capt. Bourke, with defamatory publications, and with assaulting Gov. Beaver.

The Car's Threat.
BERLIN, June 8.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Cologne Gazette says the czar told the shah, and hotly, too, that if while in England he should make any concessions, unfavorable to Russia, 100,000 Russian soldiers, now on the frontier, would be made to march into Persia.

The Vatican Will be Closed.
ROME, June 8.—An immense number of delegates have arrived in this city to attend the ceremony of the inauguration of the Bruno memorial. The Vatican will remain closed two days. Many priests and members of the Catholic church have left the city.

The Shah's Tour.
BERLIN, June 8.—The Shah will arrive here Sunday and remain till Wednesday.

MINING AT BUTTE.

No Important Deals—The Outlook for Copper Mining Bright.

BUTTE, June 8.—[Special to the Independent.]—No transaction of unusual moment has taken place in mining circles in Butte during the past week. The great enterprises have run on as usual. The Anaconda has about 400 men at work at its lower smelter, and shipments of material for the new iron buildings to be erected are expected very shortly. The sixty-stamp mill of the Alice has been in continuous operation, twenty of the Moulton's stamps have been dropping on ore, and at the Lexington sinking has been continued on the shaft. Nothing has occurred out of the usual line.

Definite news has been received in Butte in regard to the copper agreement, but an effort is being made to keep it quiet all along the line, so the exact particulars can not be given to the public just yet. They will probably leak out in the course of a few days. It is known, however, that an agreement has been reached to which the European copper dealers are parties, whereby the price of lake copper will not be permitted to go below 12 cents. This information is positive and definite, and has been telegraphed from New York to various mining superintendents in Butte, who decline, however, to say anything about it.

The rise in the price of lead was the subject of considerable comment. In speaking of it last evening Mr. B. C. Kingsbury said he thought it was entirely of a speculative origin, and might perhaps be due to a growing belief that the secretary of the interior will make a ruling in the lead matter favorable to the American producers. Mr. Kingsbury and other gentlemen in Butte heavily interested in lead mines are quite confident of a favorable decision in this matter.

BOULDER COUNTY NEWS.

As to the Matter of the Hammer Assignment—How the County Was Disturbed.

BOULDER, June 8.—[Special to the Independent.]—As to the matter of the hammer assignment at present it looks this way: If the assignment to M. E. Thomas is broken, those already attached stand a good chance to be paid in full, the balance of the creditors will get nothing. If the assignment holds good, there should be about a 50 cent dividend. On the real estate there are mortgages and liens filed to the amount of \$5,000, which is more than the property is worth.

The commissioners are through districting the county, and have appointed all the registry agents. Considerable difficulty was encountered in finding freeholders in every district, and to obviate that the lines were run to accommodate. For instance, the only company in Elkhorn owning real estate was the Elkhorn company, whose owners reside in Helena, so Elkhorn was joined to Boulder, and J. C. Kerley appointed registrar, and instructed to spend the next two days in the week at Elkhorn, the balance of the county seat.

Arrangements are being made for our base ball club to go to Helena and theoretically make a race with your club in a contest for supremacy.
Mr. C. L. Thompson has taken his racing stock to Butte. His string includes some good ones, including Chesapeake, Harry Hughes, Lady Lightfoot, White Stockings, and three untried ones that are daisies.
School closed last night with a cantata, given by the children, which was well attended. Next Tuesday there will be a special meeting of Helena and Elkhorn to receive the court house and furniture.

The White Lead Combine.

NEW YORK, June 8.—This afternoon it was authoritatively stated that the stockholders of the Southern White Lead company, of St. Louis and Chicago, had sold its stock to the National Lead trust. This company has very large works and the output of white and red lead for several years past has been much the largest in the United States. In fact, the world's The Eckstein company, of Cincinnati, has also signed a contract to sell to the trust, and will reach here next negotiations looking to the absorption of the Atlantic mills, of Brooklyn are on foot. By these acquisitions the trust gains control of more than ninety per cent. of the United States.

The Australian Mail Service.

MONTREAL, June 8.—Fridman, of Australia, is here making inquiries about the Canadian Pacific railroad as a mail route, on behalf of Australia. He says there is a very great feeling of annoyance in Australia against the American government for not assisting the mail service between the two countries.

Lumber Adrift.

BALTIMORE, June 8.—Capt. Kelley, of the British schooner City of Nassau, reports that about seventy-five miles south of Cape Hatteras he sighted large rafts of cut lumber floating in the water but a short time. For miles the lumber stretched away and it was with difficulty that the vessel could get along.

The West Virginia Floods.

WHEELING, June 8.—Advices received from South Branch valley show the unprecedented floods in the Potomac came from this branch. Much damage has been done but nothing terrible as to the loss of life has been received. Wire and mail communication is entirely lost.

Remains of Jack's Victims.

LONDON, June 8.—The left hand and arm of the Fisher woman, portions of whose body have been found in different parts of the Thames, were taken from the river this morning. Another portion of the body was found in the river this afternoon. The third fragment was picked up in Sir Percy Helyar's garden at Chelsea.

Want an Increase.

GLASGOW, June 8.—Three thousand dock laborers have struck for an increase of half a penny per hour. The stevedores have also struck and demand an increase of a penny.

The strike of the seamen and firemen at Belfast has paralyzed the shipping business.

A New York Dam Weakening.

PITTSBURGH, June 8.—It is reported from Olean, N. Y., that the Cuba dam is giving way and the people of Olean and Cuba are moving out of their houses.

FOR THE SPORTS.

The Cleveland "Babies" Crawling Up, and Now Rank Second in the League Contest.

Races at Jerome Park—Acolyte Sold to J. S. Coxe for Forty Thousand Dollars.

Kilrain to Select the Place for the Fight With Sullivan—Launch of the Cutter Paradox.

PHILADELPHIA, June 8.—The home club lost the game this afternoon to Washington through their wretched fielding. Score—Philadelphia 5; Washington, 7. The batteries were, for Philadelphia, Casey and Clements; for Washington, Pearson and Mack.

WON BOTH GAMES.

CLEVELAND, June 8.—Two games were played here this afternoon, in which the home team won both through their better playing. Score, first game—Cleveland, 10; Pittsburgh, 5. The batteries were, for Cleveland, Bakely and Snider; for Pittsburgh, Morris and Carroll. Second game—Cleveland, 5; Pittsburgh, 2. The batteries were, for Cleveland, O'Brien and Zimmer; for Pittsburgh, Galvin and Miller.

The Chicago-Indianapolis game was postponed on account of rain. The Boston New York game was also postponed on account of rain.

Standing of League Clubs To Date.

	WON.	LOST.	PER CENT.
Boston	20	7	781
Cleveland	22	4	843
Philadelphia	22	14	611
New York	18	16	529
Pittsburgh	19	20	488
Pittsburgh	13	21	382
Indianapolis	10	22	315
Washington	11	20	350

Association Games.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 1; Louisville, 5.

At Philadelphia—Athletics, 14; Kansas City, 2.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 1; St. Louis, 5.

The game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

Races at Jerome Park.

JEROME PARK, June 8.—Weather and track good.

Three-fourths of a mile—Tormentor won in 1:18 1/2, Bill Letcher second, Gramercy third.

One mile and a sixteenth—Belinda won in 1:51 1/4, King Crab second, Bronzmar third.

Fourteen hundred yards—Ballston won in 1:22 1/2, Fitzjames second, Lady Pulsifer third.

One mile and a quarter—Charlie Drieux won, Cortez second, Marauder third. Time, 1:25 1/2.

Three-fourths of a mile—Grenadier won in 1:18 1/2, Dalesman second, Guarantee third.

One mile and an eighth—Major Domo won in 1:52 1/2, Senorita second, Sam Wood third.

The St. Louis races were postponed on account of rain.

A Fortune for a Horse.

LOUISVILLE, June 8.—At Frankfort yesterday R. P. Pepper sold J. S. Coxe, of Massillon, Ohio, his bay stallion Acolyte. The price was \$40,000. Acolyte is five years old, by Onward, the greatest sire in the world, dam Lady Alice, by Almont, second dam Mambrino Chief, third dam Gray Eagle. His three-year-old record was 2:30. He will be entered in a number of races.

Kilrain to Name the Place.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Frank Stevenson, representing Jake Kilrain, and Charlie Johnston, acting for John L. Sullivan, met to-night in Brooklyn and tossed a silver half dollar to decide which of the pugilists should have the selection of the battle ground. Kilrain's side "called the turn" on heads. Stevenson has ten days in which to make public his selection.

To Race in American Waters.

LOUISVILLE, June 8.—The sixty-ton board cutter Paradox, which is destined to race in American waters, was launched at Eastbourne this evening. The Paradox is seventy feet in length, twenty feet beam and draws nineteen feet of water. She will carry twenty-six tons of lead on her keel and will have a spread of 7,000 feet of canvas. The experts are enthusiastic over her.

His Rowing Days Over.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Edward Hanlan, ex-champion oarsman, arrived from Australia to-night on the steamship Zelandia, after an absence of nearly three years. He says his rowing days are over, and he is going back to Toronto to live.

The Ferry Scandal in Court at Tacoma.

The ferry scandal has reached the courts at Tacoma. H. R. Moore, attorney for C. P. Ferry, has filed in the district court a complaint against Evelyn P. Ferry, the substance of which is that Mr. and Mrs. Ferry were married at Oakland, Cal., in September, 1878; that at various times during the past eight years, at San Francisco, Portland, Tacoma, and in Paris, the plaintiff has been treated with acts of violence and cruelty. Mrs. Ferry had addressed him with violent and abusive language, not only in the presence of his family, but before strangers, thereby inflicting great mental and bodily injury and rendering life burdensome. The plaintiff prays that he be awarded the custody of the five-year-old child.

To Visit the Park.

LIVINGSTON, June 8.—[Special to the Independent.]—H. W. Child, of Helena, arrived here today in a special car, accompanied by W. S. Gurnee, A. C. Gurnee and C. W. Cromwell, all of New York. The party will leave in the morning for a trip to the National park, and on their return will visit Tacoma and Portland, stopping a day in Helena on their way west.

Generous Ireland.

DUBLIN, June 8.—Lord Mayor Sexton has cabled to America \$1,000 for the relief of the Johnstown sufferers.

CRONIN'S CLOTHES FOUND.

They Were Discovered by a Scavenger and Given to a German Woman.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Peter McGeehan was on the stand in the Cronin inquest this morning. He testified that he came here from Philadelphia as the result of a quarrel about a woman; did not say before leaving he was going on dangerous work for the executive. One day Cronin met him on the street and accused him of coming here to murder him (Cronin). On the night of the murder witness was in Pullman.

Near the close of his testimony McGeehan admitted that in his camp at Philadelphia he was known as No. 1 and John O'Neill as No. 2.

At the close of McGeehan's testimony the hearing was adjourned till Monday and McGeehan was taken into custody. McGeehan was taken to the chief's private office, where the Carsons, Dinn and Mrs. Conklin were allowed to take a look at him. None of them, however, identified him and he was allowed to go. The police at last have the clothes worn by Cronin when he last left his office. The garments, all blood-stained, were in a lot of garbage dumped on a street, just where the police refuse to say. The scavenger gave the ill-starred apparel to a German neighbor, who washed out the blood as best she could and gave them to her husband to wear. The husband's new suit excited the suspicion of some of his associates, who informed the police. Cronin's coat when found and before being repaired by the housewife, had been slit from the neck to the waist, the vest had been severed in twain and the underclothing cut in a similar manner.

COLLEGE OF MONTANA.

Programme of the Commencement Exercises This Coming Week.

DEER LODGE, June 8.—[Special to the Independent.]—The College of Montana will hold its first commencement during the week, beginning Sunday, the 9th inst. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the president, D. J. McMillan, D. D., Sunday at 3 p. m. in Cottonwood hall. The pastors of the four Protestant churches in town will participate in this service. The music has been specially prepared by the teachers in the conservatory.

Monday evening, the 10th inst., Prof. Murray of Missoula will lecture before the literary societies. His subject is "Books and their readers."

On Tuesday evening the musical department will give their annual concert. A very elaborate programme has been prepared, and this promises to excel, if possible, the excellent concerts given in the past. An admission fee will be charged to defray the expenses of commencement week. All other exercises of the week are free and the public is invited. The undergraduate exhibition will be given on Wednesday evening.

The graduating exercises will be held Thursday at 11 a. m., after the arrival of the morning trains from both ways. Persons from Helena and Missoula and intermediate points, also Butte and Anaconda, can attend and return, if necessary, the same day, though all are invited to attend the reception and the exercises. The college commencement ever held in Montana. Two young men and one young lady will receive their degrees. The degree of B. S., and one young lady a certificate of graduation from the English and normal courses.

We are proud of this college—its steady and persistent growth; in the face of all obstacles and its bright outlook for a career of development and usefulness. Its enrollment has increased annually at the rate of about twenty-five per cent. until it has reached 150; its faculty has been enlarged to meet the demand until it numbers thirteen; its separate departments and courses of instruction now cover the whole range of classical, scientific and literary college work; its accessory departments provide instruction in the various branches of music, the fine arts, commercial business, stenography and typewriting; its equipments of apparatus, instruments and laboratories are not unequalled elsewhere in the west. The buildings and furnishings, their perfect system of ventilating and steam heating, the provisions for physical health and exercise in the gymnasium, all place the College of Montana in the lead of all similar institutions in the west, or of its age in the east. The healthful, invigorating climate gives it the advantage over other climates and leaves no parent or guardian a valid excuse for patronizing other institutions. The healthful, invigorating climate gives it the advantage over other climates and leaves no parent or guardian a valid excuse for patronizing other institutions.

President Harrison Doesn't Worry.

Indianapolis Journal's Washington letter: Persons who see President Harrison daily are surprised as well as greatly pleased to see how well he stands up to his work. Although a man of unusual self-possession and physical as well as moral courage, the work that he has had to do preys upon his nerves more than the ordinary routine of official life. When it comes to the president having to decide between friends as to who shall receive reward for party or personal services, and turning away about twenty men for every appointment made, one must acknowledge that any man would be more or less worried. It is neither a pastime nor a pleasure to be compelled to refuse friends' favors. President Harrison has dreaded more than anything else the charge that he was unappreciative or ungrateful. He has avoided making promises because he was determined that it should not be said when he went out of office that he had not kept his promises. The appeals which have been made to him by good and true friends, and men whom he truly wanted to be candid with and favor, have created the embarrassing situation he has been in almost constantly. Yet the president looks well. He is not growing prematurely old, nor is he losing any of his vigor. He finds the atmosphere about the white house agreeable and healthful.

A Forgetful Man.

The most forgetful criminal in history is cited by the New York Sun. He was tried in Brooklyn recently on a charge of burglary and testified that he had never been arrested before. Being hard pressed, however, he admitted that he had been once convicted of murder in New Jersey, serving the National penitentiary and on his return he testified "he had forgotten all about it." So forgetful a person may perhaps be excused for forgetting to enter his own house, although it does not necessarily follow that he should break into that of another.

The Case Continued.

The case continued to take the view of the case and refreshed his memory of his delinquencies by a new sentence.

SEATTLE LOSSES.

Reports of the Sacrifice of Life at the Fire Believed to Have Been Exaggerated.

Only One Man Reported Missing, and He Was a Firebug, Caught in the Act.

Nearly Three Hundred Firms Burned Out—Some of the Heaviest Losers—Generous Relief Contributions.

PORTLAND, Or., June 8.—Latest dispatches from Seattle fail to confirm the reports of loss of life during the fire. While the flames were raging a man was seen carrying fire brands across the alley to a house that had escaped the flames, when special policemen commenced shooting at him. To avoid the shots he darted into the house he had fired and never came out alive. While the Occidental hotel was burning Officer Campbell saw a man attempting to get into the Puget Sound National bank by a back entrance. He ordered him to stop and the man drew a revolver. The officer took it away from him and led him toward the county jail. The man struck the policeman in the face and knocked him down and ran. The officer fired three shots at him and brought him to a standstill.

Among the heaviest losers are: The Occidental hotel, \$15,000; San Francisco store, \$100,000; coal bunkers, \$150,000; Tokias, Singmaster & Co., \$500,000; Chester Cleary, \$200,000; George F. Fry, \$88,000; Schwabacher Bros. & Co., \$250,000; H. Herrick, \$75,000; Seattle Hardware company, \$75,000; Frankenthal Bros., \$80,000; W. F. Boyd, \$75,000; Watson C. Squire, \$98,000; McDonald & Co., \$75,000; Seattle Improvement Company's hardware and office, \$150,000; Opera house, \$100,000.

A spectator looking southward from Union street can see for a distance of a mile nothing but a field of charred lumber, bent rails, warped corrugated iron, blackened telegraph and telephone poles and twisted wires. As far as it is possible to estimate at present not less than 250 firms and persons doing business have suffered loss, the majority of them total. Relief in the way of money, provisions, bedding, tents, etc., is pouring in from all directions.

Generous Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Mayor Cregier has not yet heard from Seattle officially in regard to the needs of the people. He looked for a telegram during all of today, but none was received. In the afternoon he wired the mayor of Seattle, asking what the needs of the people were. If it is desired Mayor Cregier will assist in the collection of a fund for Seattle's benefit. Drake, Parker & Co., of the Grand Pacific hotel, to-day telegraphed to Geo. W. Ham, president of the "First National bank of Seattle, to draw on the bank for \$500 in the benefit of Seattle sufferers by the fire.

SLOWLY SIGNING.

The Sioux at Rosend Gradually Putting Their Names to the Treaty.

ROSEMUND, Dak., June 8.—The commissioners here were talking with Hollow Horn-Bear, the recognized leader of the opposition, and are making strenuous efforts to satisfy him, picturing the beneficial result of favorable action to the future interests of the Indians. Signatures are being taken, but not so rapidly as yesterday. The Indians are evidently awaiting the action of Hollow Horn-Bear. At noon 530 had signed.

The commissioners held another council this afternoon. Hollow Horn-Bear, Two Strike and High Hawk made speeches in opposition, basing their objections on the ground that the treaty of 1868 has not yet expired. Nearly all the Indians are in favor of signing, but the prominent chiefs have been unquestionably influenced by some persons to oppose it. If the source from which this influence emanates can be found, there can be no question the Indians will sign. The commissioners appreciate the importance of success as influencing the result elsewhere. While the indications are favorable it is impossible to predict the result. At 5 o'clock six hundred Indians had signed.

KEPT IT QUIET.

A Bank Robbery in Kansas Which Has Just Come to Light.

ATCHISON, Kan., June 8.—A \$23,000 bank robbery occurred in this city in September last, which has just come to light. During that month two men drove up in a buggy to the First National bank. It was about noon and one man alighted and entering the place told the cashier, who was alone, that a man wanted to see him outside. While the cashier was gone the stranger went behind the counter and picked up bonds and money to the value of \$23,000. The bank kept the matter quiet with the view of the recovering of the securities which it is learned to-day, they did last March. The bonds were handed over in Denver by a go-between. It is not known what price the bank paid. The cash secured by the robbers was small.

Fell Eighty Feet.

BUTTE, June 8.—[Special to the Independent.]—Last evening about 6 o'clock Wm. Waller, a miner at the Gagnon, fell eighty feet in an ore shoot on the 100-foot level. He was picked up unconscious and it is feared that he has sustained injuries which will result in his death. His left leg was broken just above the ankle. At 9 o'clock this evening he had not yet recovered consciousness. Waller is 30 years of age, and has been married only a few months.

A Boulangist Plot.

PARIS, June 8.—Eitelier, one of the attaches of the ministry of war, has been arrested. It is believed the papers seized in the houses of the two Boulangist leaders, yesterday, showed he was implicated in a Boulangist plot.

Medill Going to Europe.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Hon. Joseph Medill, editor of the Tribune, will sail from New York next Wednesday and remain a few months in Europe.